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SUNNYSIDE DAHLIAS

Gallup, R.W. & H.G.

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GREETINGS



Our Catalog brings greetings to both our old and new friends.

We take this opportunity to thank you for past favors and trust we may have a continuance of your patronage. We intend to keep the best new varieties and send out only first-class stock.

Our flowers were more beautiful than ever this year. They were grown on the Stonington Road one mile from Norwich. You are cordially invited to visit us during the blooming season.

We exhibited at the fairs and won some coveted premiums, but we can say with the poet:

TROPHIES

The weeds are forgotten,
The voices are still,
The flowers have gone
And there's snow on the hill;
And trophies, awarded
By judges at shows,
Stand empty and cold
In their well balanced rows.

But prizes I treasure,
Stand not on a shelf;
They are stored in the
Indwelling part of myself,
That was broadened and deepened
By wonderful hours,
Which I yielded to thought
As I worked among flowers.
—Oscar E. Jensen.

DAHLIA COLLECTIONS

We are offering this season special collections made up of one tuber of a kind. These collections are well balanced as to color at reduced prices.

There are twelve guaranteed tubers in each collections for \$2.00. Any tubers left over we will sell for \$1.00 per dozen.

We guarantee all tubers true to name and to **grow**.

Substitution:—We never substitute unless permitted to do so.

SPECIAL OFFER

A discount will be given on all orders amounting to \$15.00 or over. The discount will be in proportion to the amount of your order. Address all orders to

R. W. AND H. G. GALLUP,
R. 1, NORWICH, CONN.

Dahlias of Merit



AMBASSADOR (Cac.)—Soft yellow buff, shaded salmon pink. These large flowers are held erect on strong stems. In this we have the finest cactus dahlia to date. \$2.00.

ALABASTER (Cac.)—One of the finest white cactus. Beautiful for garden and a fine cut flower. \$1.00.

ABBIE E. WILKINS (H. C.)—The twisted petals are a light flesh with a reverse of cerise. Flowers are of a good size, with straight stems. \$1.00.

ALEX WALDIE (Dec.)—The coloring of this beautiful dahlia is a creamy ground overlaid with delicate salmon pink. It has a fine stem. \$1.00.

AMANDA HOUGHTON (Dec.)—A beautiful light pink of medium size. Stem is good. \$1.00.

ARROW OF GOLD (Dec.)—This beautiful variety is a refined blossom of pure gold deepening in the center and shading to a golden apricot and amber at outer edges. The blooms are on long stems. \$2.50.

AMUN RA (Dec.)—A decorative which resembled the glorious setting sun. Coloring is gorgeous shades of copper and orange shading to gold and amber. The stems are fine. \$1.50.

AL KORAN (Dec.)—Yellow suffused with golden rod and amber. The petals have the Marcelle wave which makes it very attractive. Long stems. \$2.50.

BALLET GIRL (Cac.)—An unusual dahlia as it sometimes comes orange, tipped white, white edged with orange and may be solid orange of perfect formation. \$1.00.

BONNIE BRAE (Dec.)—Cream shaded to blush pink. The flowers are of true decorative form of large size. \$1.00.

CATHERINE WILCOX (Dec.)—The flowers are of a refined form and most attractive color, white points of petals tipped with cerise. A strong grower and a free bloomer. \$1.00.

CITY OF LAWRENCE (Dec.)—This is one of the best yellow decoratives on the market to-day. Large size, a free bloomer on good stems. \$5.00.

CALIFORNIA SUPERBA (Dec.)—Large blooms of a delicate shade of pink, shading to a lighter center. The stem is good. \$3.50.

CHAMPAGNE (Dec.)—Color is a rich cream suffused with a light jasper red. The bushes are covered with huge blooms which are held high on long rigid stems. \$3.50.

CIGARETTE (H. C.)—Creamy white and orange with no two flowers alike. The petals are long and inclined to roll, blooms are large and stems are of best quality. \$2.00.

CANCHITA (Dec.)—The color is a beautiful shade of pink. The stems are long and stiff. The flower has good depth and size. \$3.50.

CONSTANCY (Dec.)—A large flower of a beautiful shade of deep glowing pink. Good center and stems. A dependable variety. \$2.50.

CHARLES STRATTON (Dec.)—Color is a pale gold shaded and tipped with old rose. This dahlia won sixteen prizes in state of New Jersey for size and artistic coloring. \$7.50.

COPPER KING (Dec.)—Copper and gold, large, deep and well formed, excellent stem. Most desirable. \$10.00.

CALIFORNIA ENCHANTRESS (H. C.)—A delightful shade of pink. Stem fine and is free flowering. \$1.00.

COUNTESS OF LONSDALE (Cac.)—An exquisite shade of salmon, with just a suspicion of apricot at the base of petals, very floriferous. \$0.50.

DOLLY VARDEN (Dec.)—At last we have a real pink as beautiful as Delice. The color is relieved by a creamy pink center. Petals curl and twist delightfully. Bushes always bear a wealth of bloom. Excellent stems. \$3.00.

DADDY BUTLER (H. C.)—The color is American Beauty rose shades, or rosy carmine. The reverse of petals is a lighter tint. Profuse bloomer. \$2.50.

EL-DORADO (Dec.)—Size, stem and color of this variety are the best. Immense blooms, on perfect stems, stand up and look you in the face of that wonderful exclusive gold color. \$7.50.

ESTHER R. HOLMES (Cac.)—A beautiful color of orchid pink, on good stems, as I have a good stock. \$1.00.

EARL WILLIAMS (Dec.)—The colors of brilliant crimson and white are well distributed. Free bloomer. One of the finest red and whites. Good stem. \$1.50.

ELSIE OLIVER (H. C.)—A large, creamy pink, with long petals which are inclined to roll. The branching bushes are laden with blooms all summer. \$1.50.

ESTHER HUNT (H. C.)—The large blooms are composed of long rolled petals with serrated tips. The center is perfect. The color is an Oriental orange. \$2.50.

ELIZA CLARK BULL (Dec.)—The color is pearly white. This is one of the largest and deepest flowers of its class. It also has a wonderful stem. \$7.50.

EL-GRANDA (H. C.)—The color is a vivid orange and the petals twist and interlace showing at the tips a creamy yellow reverse. The stems are long and stiff. The blossoms hold their centers good even late in the season. \$7.50.

ELSIE DANIELS (H. C.)—Color is a pale violet orchid. Center white. A beautiful flower on splendid stems. \$10.00.

ELLINOR VANDERVEER (Dec.)—An incomparable dahlia of exquisite beauty and great size. The large blossoms of glowing saliny rose pink are of great depth and substance are held above a tall sturdy bush on exceptionally long stiff stems. The best rose pink decorative to date. \$7.50.

EASTERN STAR (Dec.)—This is a large heavy well formed flower, a soft shading of old gold. Has good stems. \$7.50.

FIRELIGHT (Dec.)—Yellow tipped red, medium to large, form and stem good. \$2.00.

FRANCES SEAMAN (Dec.)—Soft lavender pink, very large, good form and strong stem. \$2.00.

FAITH GARIBALDI (Dec.)—This immense deep rose decorative is a flower of great substance and perfect formation. The stem is strong and carries the flower well out of the foliage. A Gold Medal Dahlia. \$7.50.

GRENADIER (Dec.)—Color is purplish maroon shade combined with silver. The petals on one side are maroon, and on the other a pale silver. The petals quill and turn back. Stems are strong, blooms liberally. \$7.50.

GLADYS BATES (H. C.)—Large heavy blooms of incurved petals of tan, with a reverse of rose. Perfect form, closed centers, long straight stems. \$1.00.

GLADYS SHERWOOD (H. C.)—Very large free blooming white flowers on fine stiff stems held well above the foliage. \$1.00.

GEORGE C. MEACHEN (Dec.)—A large beautifully formed flower so deep and full that it is almost round. The face of the petals is pinard yellow overlaid with a golden sheen. Reserve of petals nofal red and rose. Stems are strong and hold flowers erect. \$7.50.

HARRY SHELDON, JR. (Dec.)—A pink and white decorative of large size and great depth. A fine exhibition flower. \$7.50.

HELLEN KELLER (D.)—Color is almost identical with pink dahlia Rosemawr, but is larger and more beautiful in form. \$1.00

JERSEY'S BEAUTY (Dec.)—This is a beauty and should be grown in every garden, on account of its wonderful color and extra fine stems. A wonderful pink. \$3.50.

JERSEY'S JEWEL (Dec.)—Color is mallow pink. Immense blossoms on the best of stems. \$5.00.

JERSEY'S BEACON (Dec.)—Chinese scarlet with a paler reverse, flower very large, stem good. \$10.00.

JERSEY'S GEM (Dec.)—Large lavender pink flowers on long stiff stems, very fine variety. \$5.00.

JERSEY'S MONARCH (Dec.)—Very large deep flowers, color is a deep salmon with yellow at the base of the petals. \$5.00.

JESSIE K. PRESCOTT (Dec.)—Color is deep orange at the center, gradually shading to a creamy orange on the outer rows of petals. Stems and centers are fine. \$3.00.

JUNIOR (Dec.)—An enormous flower for exhibition of perfect formation. The color is a bluish lavender. \$2.00.

JUDGE MAREAN (Dec.)—Large flower of perfect type freely produced on long stiff stems. A blending of glowing salmon, pink, red, iridescent orange yellow and pure gold. \$1.50.

- KIKU (Cac.)**—The flower is large and the petals are long, these incurve until they look like a Japanese chrysanthemum. The color is bright yellow. \$3.00.
- KITTY DUNLAP (Dec.)**—Deep lavender pink, large, good stem, strong grower, free bloomer. \$1.50.
- MARGARET MASSON (Dec.)**—Silvery lavender pink, full form, very large, excellent stem, strong grower. Very large striking variety. A prize winner at the shows. \$7.50.
- MARIPOSA (H. C.)**—Pink with violet suffusion deepening at the center. This beautiful bloom is of good depth and has splendid long stiff stems. \$3.00.
- MERRY WIDOW (Dec.)**—A large flower commanding immediate attention. Coloring is yellow suffused with red, stiff stem. \$1.00.
- MR. CROWLEY (Dec.)**—Rich salmon pink. Flowers of good size on stout stems. Very free flowering. \$2.00.
- MRS. ELEANOR MARTIN**—Mulberry red, very large. Formation is excellent—a full high center that never opens. The flowers are on perfectly rigid stems. \$3.50.
- MRS. IDE VER WARNER (Dec.)**—In this grand flower we have the queen of the garden. It is a most charming flower of large size. The color is a deep mauve pink. Very fine form on wonderful stems. \$2.00.
- MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEFERS (Dec.)**—Immense blooms of clear canary yellow changing to a delicate shade of pink on the outer petals. A very fine flower. \$2.50.
- MRS. GEORGE W. ELKINS, JR. (Dec.)**—A very large dahlia on fine stems. Color a beautiful shade of apricot pink with gold suffusion. \$1.50.
- MRS. MARGARET STREDWICK (Cac.)**—A soft pink deepening at base and tips. Large and incurved. \$1.50.
- MRS. C. COOPER (Cac.)**—One of the largest cactus dahlias. Petals are long and very narrow. The color is a charming cream, suffused salmon. \$0.75.
- MRS. E. F. T. SMITH (H. C.)**—Creamy white shading to lemon white at the center. A beautiful variety. Large blossom and excellent stem. \$1.00.

MADONNA (H. C.)—Silvery white flowers with wavy reflex petals, very attractive, fine for cutting. \$0.50.

MILLIONAIRE (Dec.)—One of the largest varieties in cultivation. Lavender shading to white. The flowers are of great depth and always attract attention. \$1.00.

MEPHISTOPHELES (Dec.)—The flowers are large of a deep ruby red. Sometimes has a golden point at the ends of the long petals. \$1.50.

MRS. CARL SALBACH (Dec.)—Showing up well in the garden. A large flower of lavender pink on excellent stems. A lovely dahlia and sure to please. \$1.00.

MEADOW LARK (Dec.)—A fine large flower of a new coloring. It has shadings of buff and straw with the reverse side of the flowrets darker. Extra long straight stems. \$3.00.

MRS. W. D'ARCY RYAN (Dec.)—Autumn shades of old gold and copper. Large flowers, fine bloomer, good stems. \$2.50.

MRS. JIM McCANDLES (P.)—A California introduction of very large size. Color old gold shading to apricot making it most attractive. \$1.50.

MARIAN MOORE (H. C.)—Color is a clear pinkish cerise with no magenta tones. The reverse of petals a lighter tint. Flower is large and incurved on splendid stems. \$3.50.

MABEL THATCHER (Dec.)—Large flowers of a pale yellow shade. An immense exhibition dahlia and a profuse bloomer. \$2.00.

OLIVE REED (Dec.)—This dahlia is a pure shade of yellow. The massive blooms are held erect high above a vigorous bush on strong rigid stems. \$10.00.

PAUL MICHAEL (Dec.)—A large exhibition flower. Color pure old gold shaded orange buff at the center. \$1.00.

PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA (Dec.)—This is one of the best red decoratives for all purposes. It has size, stem, and splendid keeping qualities and a profuse bloomer. \$0.50.

PAPILLON (H. C.)—Form, habit and stem are of the best quality. The color is a beautiful shade of old rose with golden lights. \$2.50.

POLAR SNOW (Dec.)—This is one of the finest white dahlias in cultivation. It is a bloom of perfect form held erect on stiff straight stems. This wonderful dahlia created a sensation in the show room. \$10.00.

PARADISE (H. C.)—A bold massive flower. Color is a creamy old rose suffused with gold. Vigorous grower. Stem stiff, fine for exhibition. \$3.00.

PARAMOUNT (Dec.)—A perfectly formed compact flower of good size, rose pink, penciled and stained darker. Every garden should have this one. \$2.00.

ROBERT TREAT (Dec.)—It has immense blooms of American Beauty rose color and is held erect on long strong stems. \$5.00.

ROSA NELL (Dec.)—The color is a bright rose, the flowers are very large. One of the best shaped decoratives coming perfectly full and double until frost, with good stems and habit. \$1.00.

RADIO (Dec.)—One of the largest dahlias ever originated. Has a wonderful stem, attracts attention wherever shown. Color blood red, edged and tipped with yellow. Every collection should have it. \$5.00.

REGENT (Cac.)—An American type prize winner. Blooms very large, with particularly pleasing incurved formation. A clear mauve pink, with good stems. A very free bloomer and one every lover of the cactus should have. \$1.50.

RODMAN WANAMAKER (Dec.)—A wonderful dahlia and one that was very much admired. Blooms from 9 to 10 inches in diameter. Color is a golden bronzy pink which develops into a bright shade of salmon with a reflex of spinal pink. A free bloomer held erect on stiff stems. \$5.00.

SISKIYOU (H. C.)—This dahlia has created a sensation wherever grown. Flowers are erect on cane stiff stems. Color pink tinged with mauve. Many visitors called it lavender. \$5.00.

SHUDOWS LAVENDER (Dec.)—A beautiful lavender flower of exquisite coloring. Fine large flowers with long stiff stems held high above a vigorous plant. I consider this dahlia our best lavender. \$3.00.

SUSAN G. TEVIS (Dec.)—Color a rich lilac—a new color which deepens to the perfect center. The blossoms are held erect on strong stems. An ornament in any garden. \$3.50.

SNOW DRIFT (Dec.)—A great white. A very full deep-built flower with broad waxy petals. \$1.00.

SUNNY SOUTH (H. C.)—One of the finest yellows we have grown. The color is a bright yellow without any shading. The flowers are immense in size and are carried on erect stems. \$1.00.

SANHI CAN'S RUBY (Dec.)—Color is a deep shade of "Pigeon's Blood" suffused with bronze. Petals fluffy and pointed, thickly placed to form a very full flower. Has a stiff stem. \$2.50.

SANHICAN'S BLUEBIRD (Dec.)—A very large bloom of perfect form. The color is uncommon, the outer petals at maturity are a bright violet blue, while the center retains the violet tint. The nearest approach to a blue dahlia, strong wiry stem. \$3.50.

SHOWER OF GOLD (Dec.)—A brilliant yellow deepening at the center. Good stem and blooms freely. \$0.50.

THE EMPEROR (Dec.)—This beautiful flower is sure to please those who admire a solid color. It is a maroon of finest type, on extra long stiff stems. \$2.00.

THE MONARCH (Dec.)—A majestic deep full flower of snow white. Long stems, a vigorous grower. \$2.00.

TOMMY ATKINS (Dec.)—Glowing scarlet, very bright vigorous grower and full bloomer on fine stems. \$2.50.

TEHACHEPI (H. D.)—Very large flowers of canary yellow on fine stems. Flowers similar to Gladys Sherwood in shape. \$2.00.

UNCLE SAM (P.)—Color orange buff at base of petals, shading to bitter sweet at the tips. All overlaid with a golden sheen. Reverse of petals spinal red. Immense size on stiff stems. \$2.50.

VULCAN (Cac.)—A large full flower of deep maroon. One of the best dark red cactus. \$0.75.

Join The American Dahlia Society and enjoy with us our Quarterly Bulletin containing much information valuable to every dahlia grower.

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The Gladioli



A wise man has said, "A thing of beauty is a joy forever." There is in the heart of every normal human being a love of the beautiful.

This love is natural and God given.

What is more beautiful than the lovely flowers which come to charm us with their chaste form and brilliant color? Among which the Gladiolus is most beautiful.

ALBANIA—This is a most pleasing white variety. The flower is wide open, four inches or more in diameter, petals are broad, with well rounded tips and beautifully crimped edges. The background is of pure glistening white with very faint light pink mottling. 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

ALTON—Fine orange, wonderfully ruffled. 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

BYRON L. SMITH—A delicate shade of lavender pink on a white ground. Spikes are long. A beautiful variety. 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

CRIMSON GLOW—By far the finest of all the large dark red or crimson varieties. Should be in every collection. 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

DIENER'S AMERICAN BEAUTY—Brilliant American Beauty color with a creamy yellow throat. A large number of flowers open at a time. The blending of colors is most attractive. 25 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen.

DIENER'S WHITE—Milk white with a faint touch of pink in throat, lower petals overlaid with pale orchid. Flowers extra large. 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

DR. VAN FLEET—Extra tall plant, very large flowers of a delicate rose pink, deeper at edges of petals. Throat canary yellow or cream tint. A very fine variety. 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

E. J. SHAYLOR—Tall, very strong plant and large blooms. A beautiful, pure, deep rose pink. 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

EVELYN KIRTLAND—Very tall slender spike, blossoms are an exquisite shade of melting pink, deepening toward the edge, brilliant scarlet blotches on the lower petals. A marvelously beautiful flower and a great prize winner. 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

FERN KYLE—Large creamy white flowers, a wonderful variety. 75 cents each; \$8.00 per dozen.

GOLDEN MEASURE—A magnificent yellow, very large open flowers, rich corn yellow, immense spike. 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

GRETCHEN ZANG—Tall graceful spike of soft pleasing shade of geranium pink, with carmine throat markings. 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

MARSHAL FOCH—Many giant flowers open at a time on strong stems. Color finest salmon pink. 15 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

MRS. DR. NORTON—A pure soft white, with tips of petals suffused with La France pink. One of the most beautiful varieties of this type on the market. 15 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

MRS. F. C. PETERS—Beautiful shade of rose lilac, with dark crimson blotch resembling an orchid. A very large fine spike, one of the choicest varieties. 35 cents each; \$4.00 per dozen.

MRS. H. E. BOTHIN—Flesh-salmon pink, flame scarlet center. A first-class show variety. 35 cents each; \$4.00 per dozen.

PURPLE GLORY—Deepest velvety maroon red, with almost black blotches, as if burned into the petals. Beautifully ruffled and a most extraordinary variety. 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

RICHARD DIENER—Geranium pink with a slight sprinkling of ruby on creamy yellow center. This is one of our best pinks. 35 cents each; \$4.00 per dozen.

ROSE GLORY—Color a beautiful shade of rose pink which changes to deeper shades in throat. 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

SCHWARBEN—Delicate primrose with yellow and crimson center. large flower and spike. 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

